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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toyoji HIYOKOAWA et al.

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Application No.: 09/632,793

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For: NAVIGATION SYSTEM AND A MEMORY MEDIUM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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In reply to the Office Action mailed February 27, 2002, the period for reply being extended to June 27, 2002 by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel claims 4-7, 11, 14 and 18-23 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please replace claims 3, 16 and 17 as follows:

3. (Twice Amended) A navigation system, comprising:

an input means for inputting a reference position for searching register points;

an information storage means for storing register point data, wherein said

register point data are divided into an area or block, and said register point data in each area

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